

510 (k) Notification, ColActive™ Collagen Wound Dressing  
Covalon Technologies, Inc.

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510 (k) Summary

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4. **Proprietary Name:** ColActive™ Collagen Wound Dressing  
  
**Common Name:** Wound Dressing
  
5. **Regulatory Class:** FRO
  
6. **Statement of Substantial Equivalence:**

ColActive™ Collagen Wound Dressings are substantially equivalent in materials of construction and intended use and identical in function to FIBRACOL PLUS Collagen Wound Dressing with Alginate manufactured by Johnson & Johnson Medical and SkinTemp Kollagen Wound Management Material manufactured by Biocore Medical Technologies.

7. **Indications For Use:**

ColActive™ Collagen Wound Dressing is indicated for the management of full and partial thickness wounds including:

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- Pressure ulcers
- Diabetic ulcers
  
- Ulcers caused by mixed vascular etiologies
- Venous ulcers
- Second degree burns
- Donor and graft sites
- Abrasions
- Dehisced surgical wounds
- Traumatic wounds healing by secondary intention

**8. Description:**

ColActive™ Collagen Wound Dressing is an advanced wound care dressing composed of collagen and sodium alginate provided in a sterile sheet or rope form. ColActive™ Collagen Wound Dressings are pliable, absorbent dressings that absorb moisture such as wound fluid forming a gel, thus maintaining a moist environment at the wound surface that aids in the formation of granulation tissue and epithelialization. The dressings can be cut to fit specific wounds and are able to be layered for the management of deep wounds.

**9. Biocompatibility:**

ColActive™ Collagen Wound Dressings have been demonstrated to be safe wound dressings. To support the biocompatibility of these products, safety tests were conducted in accordance with ISO 10993 Part 1 Biological Evaluation of Medical Devices.

When all test results from tests conducted on ColActive™ Collagen Wound Dressings are taken into consideration as a whole, ColActive™ Collagen Wound Dressings have been demonstrated to be safe topical wound dressings in accordance with ISO 10993-1.



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Re: K050177  
Trade Name: ColActive™ Collagen Wound Dressing  
Regulatory Class: Unclassified  
Product Code: KGN  
Dated: March 29, 2005  
Received: March 31, 2005

Dear Mr. Guilbaud:

This letter corrects our substantially equivalent letter of April 27, 2005.

We have reviewed your Section 510(k) premarket notification of intent to market the device referenced above and have determined the device is substantially equivalent to legally marketed predicate devices marketed in interstate commerce prior to May 28, 1976, the enactment date of the Medical Device Amendments or to devices that have been reclassified in accordance with the provisions of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (Act) that do not require approval of a premarket approval (PMA). You may, therefore, market the device, subject to the general controls provisions of the Act. The general controls provisions of the Act including requirements for annual registration, listing of devices, good manufacturing practice, labeling, and prohibitions against misbranding and adulteration.

If your device is classified (see above) into either class II (Special Controls) or class III (PMA), it may be subject to additional controls. Existing major regulations affecting your device can be found in the Code of Federal Regulations, Title 21, Parts 800 to 898. In addition, FDA may publish further announcements concerning your device in the Federal Register.

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Please be advised that FDA's issuance of a substantial equivalence determination does not mean that FDA has made a determination that your device complies with other requirements of the Act or any Federal statutes and regulations administered by other Federal agencies. You must comply with all the Act's requirements, including, but not limited to: registration and listing (21 CFR Part 807); labeling (21 CFR Part 801); good manufacturing practice requirements as set forth in the quality systems (QS) regulation (21 CFR Part 820); and if applicable, the electronic product radiation control provisions (sections 531-542 of the Act); 21 CFR 1000-1050.

This letter will allow you to continue marketing your device as described in your Section 510(k) premarket notification. The FDA finding of substantial equivalence of your device to a legally marketed predicate device results in a classification for your device and thus, permits your device to proceed to the market.

If you desire specific advice for your device on our labeling regulation (21 CFR Part 801), please contact the Office of Compliance at (240) 276-0115. Also, please note the regulation entitled, "Misbranding by reference to premarket notification" (21CFR Part 807.97). You may obtain other general information on your responsibilities under the Act from the Division of Small Manufacturers, International and Consumer Assistance at its toll-free number (800) 638-2041 or (240) 276-3150 or at its Internet address <http://www.fda.gov/cdrh/dsma/dsmamain.html>

Sincerely yours,



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Office of Device Evaluation  
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**PREMARKET NOTIFICATION**  
**INDICATIONS FOR USE STATEMENT**

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Prescription Use √  
(Per 21 CFR 801.109)

OR Over-the-Counter Use     

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Concurrence of CDRH, Office of Device Evaluation (ODE)



Division of General Restorative  
Neurological Devices